Manager Auqaf — 2012 · Solved Past Paper

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> **How to use this paper:** each question shows the stem, the four options, and the correct answer. Click “Why each option?” under a question to see all four options explained — one question teaches four topics. General Knowledge answers are as of the 2012 sitting.

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Question 1 History

The little of Governor-General was changed to that of Victory in the year?

- A. 1857
- B. 1858 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1859
- D. 1860

A. The title of Governor-General was not changed to Viceroy in 1857.

B. The title of Governor-General was changed to Viceroy in 1858.

C. It was not changed in 1859.

charged in 1860.

Note: Note: Stem as printed reads 'little' for title and 'Victory' for Viceroy.

Question 2 History

The first movement launched against the British in India was:

- A. Khilafat Movement
- B. Swadeshi Movement ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Non-cooperation Movement
- D. Quit India Movement

A. The Khilafat Movement began in 1919, after the Swadeshi Movement.

B. The Swadeshi Movement of 1905 is the earliest movement against the British listed here.

C. The Non-cooperation Movement began in 1920, after Swadeshi.

D. The Quit India Movement began in 1942, the latest listed.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key D (Quit India) is wrong — Quit India (1942) is the latest movement listed, not the first; the earliest is the Swadeshi Movement of 1905. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 3 Pakistan Studies

Which university had awarded the honorary degree of LLB to Sir Syed Ahmed Khan?

- A. Jama-ul-Azhar
- B. Oxford University
- C. Harvard University
- D. University of Edinburgh ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Jamia-ul-Azhar did not award Sir Syed an honorary LLB.

C. Harvard University did not award it.

D. The University of Edinburgh conferred an honorary LL.D. on Sir Syed Ahmed Khan in 1889.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key C (Harvard) is wrong — Sir Syed's honorary doctorate came from the University of Edinburgh. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 4 Pakistan Studies

When the foundations of Dar-ul-Aloom Dev Band were laid down?

- A. 1857
- B. 1860
- C. 1867 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1877

A. Dar-ul-Uloom Deoband was not founded in 1857.

B. It was not founded in 1860.

C. Dar-ul-Uloom Deoband was founded in 1866, given as 1867 in the options.

D. It was not founded in 1877.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key B (1860) is wrong — Deoband was founded in 1866. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 5 Pakistan Studies

Hazrat Shah Wali Ullah was the son of:

- A. Muhammad Ahmad
- B. Shah Abdul Rahim ✓ **Correct answer**

h Qutab-ud-Din

- D. Sheikh Abdul Wahid

A. Muhammad Ahmad was not the father of Shah Waliullah.

B. Shah Waliullah was the son of Shah Abdur Rahim.

C. Shah Qutb-ud-Din was not his father.

D. Sheikh Abdul Wahid was not his father.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key C (Shah Qutb-ud-Din) is wrong — Shah Waliullah was the son of Shah Abdur Rahim. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 6 Pakistan Studies

When sheikh Mujeeb-ur-Rehman started disobedience movement before Dhaka Fall?

- A. January 1971
- B. February 1971
- C. March 1971 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. April 1971

A. The disobedience movement did not start in January 1971.

B. It did not start in February 1971.

C. Sheikh Mujib-ur-Rehman's non-cooperation movement began in March 1971, after the Assembly session was postponed on 1 March.

D. It did not start in April 1971.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key A (January 1971) is wrong — the movement began in March 1971. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

7 History

The Cripps Mission visited India during the regime of:

- A. Lord Linlithgow ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Lord Wavell
- C. Lord Wellington
- D. Lord Curzon

A. The Cripps Mission visited India in 1942, during the viceroyalty of Lord Linlithgow.

B. Lord Wavell became viceroy in 1943, after the Cripps Mission.

C. Lord Wellington was not the viceroy in 1942.

D. Lord Curzon was viceroy long before, 1899-1905.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key D (Lord Curzon) is wrong — the Cripps Mission came in 1942 under Lord Linlithgow. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 8 History

Incidence of kanpur Mosque occurred in:

- A. 1910
- B. 1911
- C. 1912
- D. 1913 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Kanpur Mosque incident did not occur in 1910.

B. It did not occur in 1911.

C. It did not occur in 1912.

D. The Kanpur Mosque incident occurred in 1913.

PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION. the printed key A (1910) is wrong — the Kanpur Mosque incident was in 1913. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 9 Pakistan Studies

One of the son of Gandhi embraced Islam, what was his Islamic name?

- A. Muhammad Abdullah ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ubaid-ur-Rehman
- C. Abdullah Ahmad
- D. Abdul Rehman

A. Harilal Gandhi, who embraced Islam, took the name Muhammad Abdullah.

B. Ubaid-ur-Rehman is not the name he took.

C. Abdullah Ahmad is not the name he took.

D. Abdul Rehman is not the name he took.

Question 10 Pakistan Studies

Who was the Speaker of Second Legislative Assembly of Pakistan?

- A. Mr. Abdul Wahab ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mr. Abdul Jabbar
- C. Mr. Fazal-ul-Haq
- D. Molvi Tamizuddin

A. Abdul Wahab Khan was the Speaker of the Second Legislative Assembly of Pakistan.

B. Abdul Jabbar was not the Speaker.

C. Fazal-ul-Haq was not the Speaker.

D. Molvi Tamizuddin was Speaker of the first Constituent Assembly, not the second.

11 Pakistan Studies

Who was first woman Major General of Pakistan Army?

- A. Mrs. Abida Malik
- B. Mrs. Shahida Malik ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Mrs. Nasim Akhtar
- D. Mrs. Salma Akhtar

A. Mrs Abida Malik was not the first woman Major General.

B. Maj Gen Shahida Malik was the first woman Major General of the Pakistan Army.

C. Mrs Nasim Akhtar was not the first woman Major General.

D. Mrs Salma Akhtar was not the first woman Major General.

Question 12 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Chief Justice/Chairman of Federal Shariah Court?

- A. Mr. Justice Fakhar Alam
- B. Mr. Justice Akhtar Hussain
- C. Mr. Justice Nasim Sikandar
- D. Mr. Justice Salahud-Din ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Justice Fakhar Alam was not the first Chief Justice of the Federal Shariat Court.

B. Justice Akhtar Hussain was not the first Chief Justice.

C. Justice Nasim Sikandar was not the first Chief Justice.

D. Justice Salahuddin Ahmed was the first Chief Justice of the Federal Shariat Court.

Question 13 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Muslim Chief of Staff of Pakistan Army?

- A. Ayub Khan
- B. Gen. Muhammad Musa
- C. Gen. Tikka Khan ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Gen. Gul Hassan

A. Ayub Khan was the first native Commander-in-Chief, not the first Chief of Army Staff.

B. Muhammad Musa was not the first Chief of Army Staff.

C. Tikka Khan was the first Chief of Army Staff of Pakistan, in 1972.

D. Gul Hassan was not the first Chief of Army Staff.

Note: Note: The stem means the Chief of Army Staff post created in 1972; Ayub Khan was the first Pakistani Commander-in-Chief, a different post.

Question 14 Pakistan Studies

What was the term of National Assembly under the constitution of 1962?

- A. 4 years
- B. 5 years ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 6 years
- D. 7 years

A. The National Assembly's term under the 1962 Constitution was not 4 years.

B. It was 5 years.

C. It was not 6 years.

D. It was not 7 years.

Question 15 English

Time has expunged ___his memory.

n ✓ Correct answer

- B. in
- C. to
- D. out

A. Time has expunged from his memory is the correct preposition.

B. Expunged in is not the idiom.

C. Expunged to is not the idiom.

D. Expunged out is not the idiom.

Question 16 English

We have ____ trust in you.

- A. Perfect
- B. Complete
- C. absolute ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. entire

A. Perfect trust is possible English, but absolute trust is the set collocation used here.

B. Complete trust is possible English, but absolute trust is the set collocation used here.

C. We have absolute trust in you is the idiomatic phrase.

D. Entire trust is possible English, but absolute trust is the set collocation used here.

Question 17 English

Antonym of "Cryptic" is:

- A. Superficial
- B. admonish
- C. analyze

did ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Superficial is not the antonym of cryptic.

B. Admonish is not the antonym of cryptic.

C. Analyze is not the antonym of cryptic.

D. The antonym of cryptic, hidden or obscure, is candid, open.

Question 18 English

Choose the correct spelling:

- A. reiterat
- B. reiterate ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. reitarate
- D. rieterate

A. Reiterat is a misspelling.

B. Reiterate is the correct spelling.

C. Reitarate is a misspelling.

D. Rieterate is a misspelling.

Question 19 English

Synonym of "Difference:

- A. timidity ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. indolence
- C. indifference
- D. impatient

A. Timidity, shyness, is the synonym of diffidence.

means laziness, not diffidence.

C. Indifference means lack of interest, not diffidence.

D. Impatient is not a synonym of diffidence.

Note: Note: Stem as printed reads 'Difference'; read as 'Diffidence', whose synonym is timidity.

Question 20 English

To clip the wings, means

- A. To cut the wings
- B. To get control
- C. to limit on ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. to catch the bird

A. To clip the wings does not mean to cut the wings literally.

B. To get control is close, but the idiom means to limit power.

C. To clip the wings means to limit or restrict someone's power.

D. It does not mean to catch the bird.

Question 21 English

Keep tabs on, means:

- A. to follow strictly
- B. To do something
- C. to steal something
- D. to keep under observation ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Keep tabs on does not mean to follow strictly in the sense of chasing.

t mean to do something.

C. It does not mean to steal something.

D. Keep tabs on means to keep under observation.

Question 22 English

The meaning of "Eschew" is:

- A. to free
- B. to avoid ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. to escape
- D. to rescue

A. Eschew does not mean to free.

B. Eschew means to avoid deliberately.

C. To escape is not the meaning of eschew.

D. To rescue is not the meaning of eschew.

Question 23 English

Rudimentary, means:

- A. developed
- B. Polite
- C. dislike
- D. original ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Rudimentary does not mean developed; developed is its opposite.

B. It does not mean polite.

C. It does not mean dislike.

ary means basic, in its original undeveloped form.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key A (developed) is wrong — developed is the opposite of rudimentary; the nearest option is original, in its primitive form. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 24 English

Embellish, means:

- A. equalize
- B. obsolete
- C. adorn ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. desolate

A. Embellish does not mean equalize.

B. It does not mean obsolete.

C. Embellish means to adorn, to decorate.

D. It does not mean desolate.

Question 25 Science

A women's voice is shriller than a man's due to:

- A. Higher amplitude
- B. Higher frequency ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Lower frequency
- D. Lower amplitude

A. A woman's voice is not shriller because of higher amplitude.

B. A woman's voice is shriller than a man's due to higher frequency.

C. Lower frequency would make the voice deeper, not shriller.

plitude would make the voice quieter, not shriller.

Question 26 Science

All form of energy that we use are ultimately transformed into:

- A. Electrical energy
- B. Chemical energy
- C. Light energy
- D. Heat energy ✓ **Correct answer**

A. All forms of energy are not ultimately transformed into electrical energy.

B. They are not ultimately transformed into chemical energy.

C. They are not ultimately transformed into light energy.

D. All forms of energy that we use are ultimately transformed into heat energy.

Question 27 Science

Fuse wire is made of:

- A. 63% lead, 37% tin
- B. 63% tin, 37% aluminium
- C. 63% tin, 37% lead ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 63% lead, 37% aluminium

A. Fuse wire is not 63 percent lead and 37 percent tin.

B. It is not 63 percent tin and 37 percent aluminium.

C. Fuse wire is made of 63 percent tin and 37 percent lead.

D. It is not 63 percent lead and 37 percent aluminium.

28 Science

Which of the following types of radiations is observed by the upper layer of the atmosphere?

- A. Infrared
- B. Ultraviolet ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Radio-waves
- D. visible

A. Infrared is not the radiation absorbed by the upper atmosphere.

B. Ultraviolet radiation is absorbed by the upper layer of the atmosphere.

C. Radio waves are not absorbed there.

D. Visible light is not absorbed there.

Question 29 Science

The 'stones' formed in human kidney consists mostly of:

- A. Sodium acetate
- B. Calcium oxalate ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Potassium Sulfate
- D. Magnesium Sulfate

A. Kidney stones do not consist mostly of sodium acetate.

B. Kidney stones consist mostly of calcium oxalate.

C. They do not consist mostly of potassium sulfate.

D. They do not consist mostly of magnesium sulfate.

30 Science

Fluorescent tubes are fitted with a choke. The choke coil:

- A. Steps up the line voltage
- B. Steps down the line voltage
- C. Increases current in the circuit
- D. Reduces current in the circuit ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The choke coil does not step up the line voltage.

B. It does not step down the line voltage.

C. It does not increase the current in the circuit.

D. The choke coil reduces the current in the circuit.

Question 31 Science

Soft drinks such as colas contain significant quantities of:

- A. Tannin
- B. Caffeine ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Nicotine
- D. Renin

A. Colas do not contain significant quantities of tannin.

B. Soft drinks such as colas contain significant quantities of caffeine.

C. They do not contain nicotine.

D. They do not contain renin.

Question 32 Science

Amino acids are a product of the digestion of:

erals

- B. Carbohydrates
- C. Proteins ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Fats

A. Amino acids are not a product of digesting minerals.

B. They are not a product of digesting carbohydrates.

C. Amino acids are a product of the digestion of proteins.

D. They are not a product of digesting fats.

Question 33 Islamiat

What is the name of Hazrat Mujaddid Alf-e-Sani (RA)?

- A. Shah Badar-ud-Din
- B. Sheikh Abdul Wahid
- C. Sheikh Ahmad ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of the above

A. Shah Badar-ud-Din is not the name of Mujaddid Alf-e-Sani.

B. Sheikh Abdul Wahid is not his name.

C. Mujaddid Alf-e-Sani was Sheikh Ahmad Sirhindi.

D. One option names Sheikh Ahmad, so None of the above is wrong.

Question 34 Science

Dead red blood corpuscles are stored in:

- A. Spleen ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Liver
- C. Kidney

A. Dead red blood corpuscles are stored in the spleen.

B. They are not stored in the liver.

C. They are not stored in the kidney.

D. They are not stored in the pancreas.

Question 35 Science

Nitrogen occurs in plants and animals in the form of:

- A. Minerals
- B. Carbohydrates
- C. Proteins ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Fats

A. Nitrogen does not occur in plants and animals in the form of minerals.

B. It does not occur as carbohydrates.

C. Nitrogen occurs in plants and animals in the form of proteins.

D. It does not occur as fats.

Question 36 Science

The gases which are used by divers as an artificial atmosphere are Oxygen and:

- A. Nitrogen
- B. Helium ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Neon
- D. Carbon monoxide

A. Divers do not use nitrogen as the second gas in this item; nitrogen causes narcosis at

B. Divers use oxygen and helium as an artificial atmosphere.

C. Neon is not the gas used.

D. Carbon monoxide is poisonous and is not used.

Question 37 Science

Which of the following is involved in blood clotting?

- A. Calcium ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sodium
- C. Magnesium
- D. Potassium

A. Calcium is involved in blood clotting; it is clotting factor IV.

B. Sodium is not the clotting factor named here.

C. Magnesium is not the clotting factor named here.

D. Potassium is not the clotting factor named here.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key D (Potassium) is wrong — calcium is essential for blood clotting. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 38 Science

Plutonium is used as:

- A. Fuel for nuclear fusion
- B. Source of chemical energy
- C. Source of light energy
- D. Fuel for nuclear fusion

s given for this question, and none is taught. NO CORRECT OPTION — DEFECTIVE-excluded (decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation)

A. Plutonium is not a fuel for nuclear fusion.

B. Plutonium is not a source of chemical energy.

C. Plutonium is not a source of light energy.

D. Plutonium is not a fuel for nuclear fusion.

Question 39 Science

After drinking of contaminated water, you would be most apt to develop symptoms of:

- A. Malaria
- B. Schistosomiasis
- C. Typhoid fever ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Yellow fever

A. Malaria is spread by mosquitoes, not by drinking contaminated water.

B. Schistosomiasis is spread through water contact with snails, but typhoid is the water-borne fever named here.

C. After drinking contaminated water, you would most aptly develop typhoid fever.

D. Yellow fever is spread by mosquitoes, not by drinking water.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key A (Malaria) is wrong — malaria is mosquito-borne; typhoid is the water-borne disease. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 40 Science

The gland which helps to maintain body temperature is:

othalamu ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Thyroid gland
- C. Pituitary gland
- D. Adrenal gland

A. The hypothalamus helps to maintain body temperature.

B. The thyroid gland regulates metabolism, but the hypothalamus is the temperature centre.

C. The pituitary gland does not regulate body temperature.

D. The adrenal gland does not regulate body temperature.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key C (Pituitary gland) is wrong — body temperature is regulated by the hypothalamus. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 41 Science

The colour ____ has the longest wavelength?

- A. Blue
- B. Red ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Green
- D. Yellow

A. Blue does not have the longest wavelength of visible light.

B. Red has the longest wavelength of the colours listed.

C. Green does not have the longest wavelength.

D. Yellow does not have the longest wavelength.

42 Science

The silvered surface of thermos flask prevents transfer of heat by:

- A. Radiation ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Reflection
- C. Conduction
- D. Convection

A. The silvered surface of a thermos flask prevents transfer of heat by radiation.

B. Reflection is the mechanism, but the item asks for the mode of transfer prevented, radiation.

C. Conduction is prevented by the vacuum, not the silvered surface.

D. Convection is prevented by the vacuum, not the silvered surface.

Question 43 Science

The flow of heat from a hot to a cold body is an example of:

- A. Irreversible process ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Adiabatic process
- C. Isothermal process
- D. Reversible process

A. The flow of heat from a hot to a cold body is an irreversible process.

B. It is not an adiabatic process.

C. It is not an isothermal process.

D. It is not a reversible process.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key C (Isothermal) is wrong — heat flowing from hot to cold is the textbook example of an irreversible process. Decided by

Question 44 Science

Meningitis is a disease of human beings that affects:

- A. Liver
- B. Heart
- C. Kidney
- D. Central Nervous System ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Meningitis does not affect the liver.

B. It does not affect the heart.

C. It does not affect the kidney.

D. Meningitis is a disease that affects the central nervous system.

Question 45 Science

Diabetes is caused by malfunctioning of:

- A. Pancreas ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Liver
- C. Spleen
- D. Kidney

A. Diabetes is caused by malfunctioning of the pancreas.

B. It is not caused by malfunctioning of the liver.

C. It is not caused by malfunctioning of the spleen.

D. It is not caused by malfunctioning of the kidney.

46 Science

Sea water can be converted into fresh water by using the phenomenon of:

- A. Reverse osmosis ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Diffusion
- C. Plasmolysis
- D. Sedimentation

A. Sea water can be converted into fresh water by reverse osmosis.

B. Diffusion does not desalinate sea water.

C. Plasmolysis does not desalinate sea water.

D. Sedimentation does not desalinate sea water.

Question 47 Science

The blood glucose level is commonly expressed as:

- A. Gram per liter
- B. Milligram per deciliter ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Parts per million
- D. Millimetre of Hg

A. Blood glucose is not commonly expressed in grams per litre.

B. Blood glucose level is commonly expressed as milligrams per decilitre.

C. It is not expressed in parts per million.

D. It is not expressed in millimetres of mercury.

Question 48 Science

What is the instrument that determines specific gravity of liquids?

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- B. Hydrometer ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Gravimeter
- D. Hygrometer

A. A hypsometer measures boiling point and altitude, not specific gravity.

B. A hydrometer determines the specific gravity of liquids.

C. A gravimeter measures gravity, not specific gravity of liquids.

D. A hygrometer measures humidity, not specific gravity.

Question 49 Science

Echo is the effect produced due to:

- A. Refraction of sound
- B. Reflection of sound ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Absorption of sound
- D. Dispersion of sound

A. Echo is not produced by refraction of sound.

B. Echo is the effect produced by reflection of sound.

C. It is not produced by absorption of sound.

D. It is not produced by dispersion of sound.

Question 50 Science

A plant with green leaves placed in red light will appear:

- A. Violet
- B. Yellow
- C. Green

ck ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A green plant in red light would not appear violet.

B. It would not appear yellow.

C. It would not appear green, because there is no green light to reflect.

D. A plant with green leaves placed in red light will appear black, as the red light is absorbed.

Question 51 Science

Tsunami is a word of which language?

- A. Japanese ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Greek
- C. Latin
- D. German

A. Tsunami is a word of Japanese origin.

B. It is not a Greek word.

C. It is not a Latin word.

D. It is not a German word.

Question 52 General Knowledge

Ngultrum is the currency of:

- A. Bahamas
- B. Tunisia
- C. Bhutan ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Zaire

rum is not the currency of the Bahamas.

B. It is not the currency of Tunisia.

C. The ngultrum is the currency of Bhutan.

D. It is not the currency of Zaire.

Question 53 Geography

Second largest ethnic group in Afghanistan is:

- A. Hazaras
- B. Tazters
- C. Uzbek
- D. Tajik ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Hazaras are not the second largest ethnic group in Afghanistan.

B. Tatars, spelt Tazters as printed, are not the second largest group.

C. Uzbeks are not the second largest group.

D. Tajiks are the second largest ethnic group in Afghanistan, after Pashtuns.

Question 54 Geography

The capital of Zambia is:

- A. Lome
- B. Lusaka ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Abuja
- D. Kinshasa

A. Lome is the capital of Togo, not of Zambia.

B. Lusaka is the capital of Zambia.

ıe capital of Nigeria, not of Zambia.

D. Kinshasa is the capital of Congo, not of Zambia.

Question 55 Geography

Salisbury is the old name of:

- A. Gayana
- B. New Hebridges
- C. Harare ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of them

A. Salisbury is not the old name of Guyana.

B. It is not the old name of the New Hebrides.

C. Salisbury is the old name of Harare, Zimbabwe.

D. One option names Harare, so None of them is wrong.

Question 56 Geography

Malagasy is the new name of:

- A. Madagascar ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Cune
- C. Abuja
- D. Zaire

A. Malagasy is the language and people of Madagascar.

B. It is not of Cune as printed.

C. It is not of Abuja.

D. It is not of Zaire.

57 General Knowledge

'Freedom Air' is an airline of:

- A. South Korea
- B. Canada
- C. South Africa
- D. New Zealand ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Freedom Air was not an airline of South Korea.

B. It was not an airline of Canada.

C. It was not an airline of South Africa.

D. Freedom Air was a low-cost airline of New Zealand.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: the printed key B (Canada) is wrong — Freedom Air operated in New Zealand (1995-2008). Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 58 General Knowledge

GND is the news agency of;

- A. Belgium
- B. Spain ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Italy
- D. Romania

A. GND as printed is not the news agency of Belgium.

B. The agency code is garbled as printed; Spain's agency is EFE, and Spain is the intended answer.

C. It is not the agency of Italy; Italy's agency is ANSA.

le agency of Romania.

Note: Note: Stem garbled as printed: no well-known agency is coded GND; Spain's national agency is EFE, and Spain is the intended answer.

Question 59 General Knowledge

CAN is the central news agency located at:

- A. Poland
- B. Bridge town
- C. Taipei ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Georgia

A. CAN, the Central News Agency, is not located in Poland.

B. It is not located in Bridgetown.

C. CAN, the Central News Agency of Taiwan, is located at Taipei.

D. It is not located in Georgia.

Question 60 General Knowledge

OSS (Office of Strategic Services) is the old name of:

- A. KGB
- B. CIA ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. FBI
- D. CID

A. The OSS is not the old name of the KGB.

B. The OSS, Office of Strategic Services, is the old name of the CIA.

C. It is not the old name of the FBI.

...e old name of the CID.

Question 61 General Knowledge

MOIS is the name of secret agency of:

- A. Syria
- B. Turkey
- C. Iraq
- D. Iran ✓ **Correct answer**

A. MOIS is not the secret agency of Syria.

B. It is not the secret agency of Turkey.

C. It is not the secret agency of Iraq.

D. MOIS, the Ministry of Intelligence, is the secret agency of Iran.

Question 62 Geography

If your aeroplane will land on 'Narita Airport' you will be in the city of:

- A. Tokyo ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Rome
- C. Nairobi
- D. Italy

A. Landing at Narita Airport puts you in Tokyo.

B. It does not put you in Rome.

C. It does not put you in Nairobi.

D. Italy is a country, not a city, and Narita is not there.

63 General Knowledge

Third Tuesday of September is popular as

- A. World Food Day
- B. International day of peace ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Human Rights Day
- D. Armistice Day

A. The third Tuesday of September was the original date of the International Day of Peace, not World Food Day.

B. The third Tuesday of September was the original observance of the International Day of Peace.

C. Human Rights Day is 10 December, not the third Tuesday of September.

D. Armistice Day is 11 November, not the third Tuesday of September.

Question 64 General Knowledge

The World Consumer Day is being observed on?

- A. 20th January
- B. 15th March ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 20th March
- D. 5th April

A. World Consumer Day is not observed on 20 January.

B. World Consumer Day is observed on 15 March.

C. It is not observed on 20 March.

D. It is not observed on 5 April.

65 English Literature

'The New Great Game' was written by:

- A. Ken Stars
- B. Robert E. Rubin
- C. Lutz Kleveman ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Sidney Sheldon

A. Ken Starr did not write The New Great Game.

B. Robert E. Rubin did not write The New Great Game.

C. Lutz Kleveman wrote The New Great Game.

D. Sidney Sheldon did not write The New Great Game.

Question 66 English Literature

'Struggle for Pakistan was written by:

- A. S.M Ikram
- B. K.K Aziz
- C. Ch. Muhammad Ali
- D. I.H. Qureshi ✓ **Correct answer**

A. S. M. Ikram did not write Struggle for Pakistan.

B. K. K. Aziz did not write Struggle for Pakistan.

C. Ch. Muhammad Ali did not write Struggle for Pakistan.

D. I. H. Qureshi wrote Struggle for Pakistan.

Question 67 General Knowledge

Who was the winner of Nobel Prize 2009 for Literature?

ta Muller ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Paul Rabin Krugman
- C. Willard S. Boyle
- D. George Smith

A. Herta Muller won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 2009.

B. Paul Krugman won the Economics Prize, not Literature 2009.

C. Willard S. Boyle won the Physics Prize, not Literature 2009.

D. George Smith won the Physics Prize, not Literature 2009.

Question 68 Geography

Which country has the longest coast line?

- A. Russia
- B. Canada ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. China
- D. USA

A. Russia does not have the longest coastline.

B. Canada has the longest coastline in the world.

C. China does not have the longest coastline.

D. The USA does not have the longest coastline.

Question 69 History

When the first high-jacking in the world history was done?

- A. 1954
- B. 1955
- C. 1956

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. NO CORRECT OPTION — DEFECTIVE-excluded (decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation)

A. The first hijacking did not take place in 1954.

B. It did not take place in 1955.

C. It did not take place in 1956.

D. It did not take place in 1957.

Question 70 Science

The first man to receive an artificial heart is:

- A. Andrew Simon
- B. Pault Holt
- C. Dr. Barney Clark ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Dr. Captain Nadual

A. Andrew Simon was not the first man to receive an artificial heart.

B. Paul Holt was not the first man to receive an artificial heart.

C. Dr Barney Clark was the first man to receive an artificial heart, in 1982.

D. Dr Captain Nadual was not the first man to receive an artificial heart.

Question 71 History

Which one of the following Sultans established diplomatic with China?

- A. Ibrahim Lodhi
- B. Jalal-ud-din Khilji
- C. Zaheer-ud-din Babur

hammad Bin Tughlaq ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Ibrahim Lodhi did not establish diplomatic relations with China.

B. Jalal-ud-din Khilji did not establish diplomatic relations with China.

C. Babur did not establish diplomatic relations with China.

D. Muhammad Bin Tughlaq established diplomatic relations with China.

Question 72 General Knowledge

Transfer of foreign fugitive to his home country is:

- A. Detente
- B. Entente
- C. Asylum
- D. Extradition ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Detente means easing of tension, not transfer of a fugitive.

B. Entente means an understanding between states, not transfer of a fugitive.

C. Asylum means shelter, not transfer of a fugitive.

D. Transfer of a foreign fugitive to his home country is extradition.

Question 73 Geography

'Latakia' is the seaport of:

- A. Jordan
- B. Libya
- C. Syria ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of the above

A. Latakia is not the seaport of Jordan.

e seaport of Libya.

C. Latakia is the seaport of Syria.

D. One option names Syria, so None of the above is wrong.

Question 74 Geography

'Sharame-el-Sheikh' is the Egyptian seaport on:

- A. Red Sea ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Black Sea
- C. Mediterranean Sea
- D. Arabian Sea

A. Sharm el-Sheikh is the Egyptian seaport on the Red Sea.

B. It is not on the Black Sea.

C. It is not on the Mediterranean Sea.

D. It is not on the Arabian Sea.

Question 75 History

'The Paris Pact' is also known as Kellog Brained Pact was held in:

- A. 1928 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1930
- C. 1932
- D. 1926

A. The Paris Pact, also known as the Kellogg-Briand Pact, was held in 1928.

B. It was not held in 1930.

C. It was not held in 1932.

held in 1928.

Question 76 History

When Switzerland became a Neutral State?

- A. 1805
- B. 1815 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1820
- D. 1825

A. Switzerland did not become a neutral state in 1805.

B. Switzerland became a neutral state in 1815, at the Congress of Vienna.

C. It did not become neutral in 1820.

D. It did not become neutral in 1825.

Question 77 General Knowledge

'Dome of Rock' is located in:

- A. Lebanon
- B. Iraq
- C. Jordan
- D. Jerusalem ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Dome of the Rock is not in Lebanon.

B. It is not in Iraq.

C. It is not in Jordan.

D. The Dome of the Rock is located in Jerusalem.

78 General Knowledge

Who was 'Eros' in Greek mythology?

- A. God of Seas
- B. God of Food
- C. God of Love ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. God of War

A. Eros was not the god of the seas.

B. He was not the god of food.

C. Eros was the god of love in Greek mythology.

D. He was not the god of war.

Question 79 General Knowledge

Which is the oldest university of USA?

- A. Seattle
- B. Harvard ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. New York University
- D. University of Chicago

A. Seattle is not the oldest university of the USA.

B. Harvard is the oldest university of the USA.

C. New York University is not the oldest university of the USA.

D. The University of Chicago is not the oldest university of the USA.

Question 80 Science

The first optical fiber cable was installed in 1977 in:

fornia ✓ Correct answer

- B. Maryland
- C. Chicago
- D. London

A. The first optical fibre cable was installed in 1977 in California, at Long Beach.

B. It was not installed in Maryland.

C. It was not installed in Chicago.

D. It was not installed in London.

Question 81 Urdu Literature

"صد برگ" کس کی شاعری کا مجموعہ ہے ؟

A. فیض احمد فیض

B. کشور ناہید

C. ناصر کاظمی

Correct answer ✓ D. پروین شاکر

A. Sad Barg is not the poetry collection of Faiz Ahmad Faiz.

B. It is not the collection of Kishwar Naheed.

C. It is not the collection of Nasir Kazmi.

D. Sad Barg is the poetry collection of Parveen Shakir.

Question 82 Urdu Literature

استاد منگو کا کردار منٹو کے کس افسانہ میں ملتا ہے؟

A. ٹوبہ ٹیک سنگھ

Correct answer ✓ C. نیا قانون

D. بو

A. Ustad Mango does not appear in Toba Tek Singh.

B. He does not appear in Kali Shalwar.

C. The character Ustad Mango appears in Manto's Naya Qanoon.

D. He does not appear in Boo.

Question 83 Urdu Literature

رام بابو سکینہ نے اردو ادب کی تاریخ کس زبان میں لکھی_

A. پنجابی

B. اردو

Correct answer ✓ C. انگریزی

D. بنگالی

A. Ram Babu Saksena did not write his history of Urdu literature in Punjabi.

B. He did not write it in Urdu.

C. Ram Babu Saksena wrote his history of Urdu literature in English.

D. He did not write it in Bengali.

Question 84 Urdu Literature

مقدمہ شعر و شاعری کس کی تصنیف ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. مولانا الطاف حسین حالی

B. مو

C. مولانا محمد حسین آزاد

D. مولانا چراغ حسن حسرت

A. Muqaddama-e-Sher-o-Shairi was written by Maulana Altaf Hussain Hali.

B. It was not written by Maulana Shibli Nomani.

C. It was not written by Maulana Muhammad Hussain Azad.

D. It was not written by Maulana Chiragh Hasan Hasrat.

Question 85 Urdu Literature

”رود کوثر", "آب کوثر", "موج کوثر" کس نے تصنیف کیں؟

A. شیخ محمد اکرم

B. عزیز احمد

Correct answer ✓ C. ڈاکٹر اشتیاق حسین قریشی

D. سبط حسن

A. Rood-e-Kausar, Aab-e-Kausar and Mauj-e-Kausar were not written by Sheikh Muhammad Akram.

B. They were not written by Aziz Ahmad.

C. They were written by Dr Ishtiaq Hussain Qureshi.

D. They were not written by Sibt-e-Hasan.

Question 86 Urdu Literature

"دار المصنفین" عظم گڑھ کی بنیاد کس نے ڈالی؟

A. مولانا

B. مولانا عبدالمجید سندھی

Correct answer ✓ C. مولانا شبلی نعمانی

D. پروفیسر احمد علی

A. Darul Musannefin Azamgarh was not founded by Maulana Muhammad Hussain Azad.

B. It was not founded by Maulana Abdul Majeed Sindhi.

C. Darul Musannefin Azamgarh was founded by Maulana Shibli Nomani.

D. It was not founded by Professor Ahmad Ali.

Question 87 Urdu Literature

مشہور ڈرامہ "مرزا غالب بند روڈ پر" کس نے تصنیف کی؟

A. فاطمہ ثریا بجیا

B. اشفاق احمد

Correct answer ✓ C. خواجہ معین الدین

D. امتیاز علی تاج

A. Mirza Ghalib Band Road Par was not written by Fatima Surayya Bajia.

B. It was not written by Ashfaq Ahmad.

C. The drama Mirza Ghalib Band Road Par was written by Khwaja Moinuddin.

D. It was not written by Imtiaz Ali Taj.

Question 88 Urdu Literature

مشہور ڈرامہ "مرزا غالب بند روڈ پر" کس نے تصنیف کی؟

A.

B. اشفاق احمد

Correct answer ✓ C. خواجہ معین الدین

D. امتیاز علی تاج

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Question 89 Urdu Literature

"ایک تھا لڑکا ٹوٹ بٹوٹ" نظم کس نے لکھی؟

A. جوش ملیح آبادی

Correct answer ✓ B. صوفی غلام مصطفیٰ تبسم

C. حبیب جالب

D. احمد راہی

A. Tot Batot was not written by Josh Malihabadi.

B. The poem Tot Batot was written by Sufi Ghulam Mustafa Tabassum.

C. It was not written by Habib Jalib.

D. It was not written by Ahmad Rahi.

جو لفظ کسی خاص وصف کی وجہ سے مشہور ہو جائے اس سے کیا کہتے ہیں؟

A. تخلص

B. کنیت

C. عرف

Correct answer ✓ D. لقب

A. A word famous for a particular quality is not called takhallus.

B. It is not called kunniyat.

C. It is not called urf.

D. A word famous for a particular quality is called laqab.

Question 91 Urdu Literature

رسالہ تہذیب الاخلاق کس نے جاری کیا؟

A. الطاف حسین حالی

Correct answer ✓ B. سر سید احمد خاں

C. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

D. علامہ اقبال

A. Tehzeeb-ul-Akhlaq was not started by Altaf Hussain Hali.

B. Tehzeeb-ul-Akhlaq was started by Sir Syed Ahmed Khan.

C. It was not started by Deputy Nazir Ahmad.

D. It was not started by Allama Iqbal.

92 Urdu Literature

علامہ اقبال کی مشہور نظم "شکوہ" ان کے کس مجموعہ کلام میں ہے؟

A. بانگ درا

Correct answer ✓ B. ضرب کلیم

C. بال جبریل

D. ارمغان حجاز

A. Iqbal's Shikwa is in Bang-e-Dara.

B. It is not in Zarb-e-Kaleem.

C. It is not in Bal-e-Jibreel.

D. It is not in Armaghan-e-Hijaz.

Question 93 Urdu Literature

ڈوبتے کو تنکے کا سہارا" قواعد کی رو سے کیا ہے؟"

A. محاورہ

Correct answer ✓ B. ضرب المثل

C. کہاوت

D. قول

A. Doobte ko tinke ka sahara is not a muhawara.

B. Doobte ko tinke ka sahara is a zarb-ul-masal, a proverb.

C. It is not a kahawat in the sense the item means.

D. It is not a qaul.

94 Urdu Literature

پطرس بخاری کی وجہ شہرت کیا ہے؟

A. شاعری

B. افسانہ نگاری

C. ناول نگاری

Correct answer ✓ D. مزاح نگاری

A. Patras Bokhari was not famous for poetry.

B. He was not famous for short-story writing.

C. He was not famous for novel writing.

D. Patras Bokhari was famous for humour writing, mazah nigari.

Question 95 Urdu Literature

"مسابقت" کا مطلب ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. مقابلہ

B. کمی بیشی

C. سختی

D. برابری

A. Musabiqat means muqabla, competition.

B. It does not mean kami beshi.

C. It does not mean sakhti.

D. It does not mean barabri.

96 Urdu Literature

"تذبذب" کا مطلب ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. سوچ بچار

B. پریشانی

C. غصہ

D. حیرت

A. Tazabzub means soch bachar, hesitation and deliberation.

B. It does not mean pareshani.

C. It does not mean ghussa.

D. It does not mean hairat.

Question 97 Urdu Literature

مندرجہ ذیل میں اسے ضرب المثل کون سی ہے؟

A. اپنے منہ میاں مٹھو بننا

B. پانی میں آگ لگانا

C. عید کا چاند ہےہونا

Correct answer ✓ D. بوڑھی گھوڑی لال لگام

A. Apne munh Mian Mithu banna is an idiom, not a proverb.

B. Pani mein aag lagana is an idiom, not a proverb.

C. Eid ka chand hona is an idiom, not a proverb.

D. Boorhi ghori lal lagam is the zarb-ul-masal among the options.

98 Urdu Literature

"تگنی کا ناچ نچانا" سے کیا مراد ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. بہت پریشان کرنا

B. خوش کرنا

C. بے چین کرنا

D. حیران کرنا

A. Tagni ka naach nachana means to trouble someone greatly.

B. It does not mean to please someone.

C. It does not mean merely to make someone restless.

D. It does not mean to astonish someone.

Question 99 Urdu Literature

مسدس کے ہر بند میں کتنے مصرے ہوتے ہیں؟

A. چار

B. پانچ

Correct answer ✓ C. چھ

D. آٹھ

A. A musaddas band does not have four lines.

B. It does not have five lines.

C. Each band of a musaddas has six lines.

D. It does not have eight lines.

100 Urdu Literature

"پیام مشرق" کس کی تصنیف ہے؟

A. حفیظ جالندھری

Correct answer ✓ B. علامہ اقبال

C. الطاف حسین حالی

D. فیض احمد فیض

A. Payam-e-Mashriq was not written by Hafeez Jalandhari.

B. Payam-e-Mashriq was written by Allama Iqbal.

C. It was not written by Altaf Hussain Hali.

D. It was not written by Faiz Ahmad Faiz.

Question 101 Urdu Literature

مولانا شبلی نعمانی کی کتاب 'الفاروق' کا انگریزی ترجمہ کس نے کیا؟

A. مولانا محمد علی جوہر

B. مولانا شوکت علی

Correct answer ✓ C. مولانا ظفر علی خان

D. مولانا الطاف حسین حالی

A. The English translation of Shibli Nomani's Al-Farooq was not done by Maulana Muhammad Ali Jauhar.

B. It was not done by Maulana Shaukat Ali.

C. The English translation of Al-Farooq was done by Maulana Zafar Ali Khan.

D. It was not done by Maulana Altaf Hussain Hali.

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